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HURRICANES GUSTAV AND IKE
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Application
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GUSTAV/IKE PROGRAM AREAS

Please identify the relevant programs and provide an estimated percentage breakdown of the first allocation amount of recovery funds that the parish anticipates using on the programs listed below. Program descriptions can be found in the Action Plan Amendment No. 1 on the LRA website (www.lra.louisiana.gov). The total percentage should equal 100. Please select only those that apply in your parish. This summary information should relate directly to Section III.

HOUSING		
Homeowner Rehabilitation - Elevation Gap Funding <input type="checkbox"/> 2%	Homeowner Compensation <input type="checkbox"/> %	Housing Buyout Program <input type="checkbox"/> 3%
Homeownership Financing <input type="checkbox"/> 2%	Homelessness Prevention <input type="checkbox"/> %	New Development/ Construction & Neighborhood Redevelopment <input type="checkbox"/> 5%
Rental Rehabilitation <input type="checkbox"/> 1%		Total Category <input type="checkbox"/> 13%

INFRASTRUCTURE

Infrastructure Recovery Program	<input type="checkbox"/> 80%
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ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Economic Recovery and Revitalization	<input type="checkbox"/> 2%
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ADMINISTRATION AND PLANNING

Community Resiliency Program <input type="checkbox"/> %	Public Services Program <input type="checkbox"/> %	Administration <input type="checkbox"/> 5% *Max of 5%
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Does the parish anticipate applying for additional funds from the state-administered Affordable Rental Housing Program? (Yes)

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SECTION I: BACKGROUND

A. Uniform Data

LRA/OCD-DRU will work with the parishes to facilitate that consistent data sets are compiled to ensure a data-driven planning and program development recovery process. *LRA/ OCD-DRU staff will compile for each Parish a standard set of data from common sources on the three following areas by the March 26, 2009 workshop.*

1. Parish Demographics

Terrebonne Parish has a population of 108,424 as of 2007. The Parish has grown faster since 1995 than 60% of U.S. counties above 50,000 population and sixth fastest since 1995 among Louisiana Parishes. As well, manufacturing employment has grown over the last decade of 67% versus a national decline of 3% during the same period. Our numbers of small businesses increase 78% faster than other metro areas between 150,000-300,000 in population. These factors may explain why Terrebonne is still growing in the current economic climate and has unemployment trends well below the Louisiana and national average. However, Terrebonne Parish has nearly half the number of college graduates as the national average. A substantial share of income is from wages and salaries and less from financial investments, so job losses, cutbacks on hours or unexpected housing expenses directly affect family finances.

Median household income	\$40,692
Total population as of 2007	108,424
Population, percent change, April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2007	3.8%
Population, 2000	104,503
Persons under 5 years old, percent, 2007	7.6%
Persons under 18 years old, percent, 2007	26.7%
Persons 65 years old and over, percent, 2007	10.8%
High school graduates, percent of persons age 25+, 2000	67.1%
Bachelor's degree or higher, pct of persons age 25+, 2000	12.3%
Housing units, 2007	43,995
Homeownership rate, 2000	75.6%
Housing units in multi-unit structures, percent, 2000	11.1%

Terrebonne Parish is under a consolidated government. The parish consists of the city of Houma and several areas that are identified as communities: Dulac, Theriot, Ponte aux Chenes, Montegut, Chauvin, Bourg Chacahoula, Bayou Cane, Gray, Gibson, Donner and Shriever. The communities down the bayou in particular suffered from the flood. The electricity was out for nearly a month in some areas. At least 20% of the parish was without power for 14 days.* Due to water-dependent industries in the area, family land, or personal preference, many residents want to maintain their community identity and work with the land to elevate homes, businesses and institutions or protect them with levees rather than move north. The northern portions of the parish are also at flood risk, so our growth plans take

* The City of Houma power was restored within a week, and generators and other improvements are in process to provide emergency power to critical facilities throughout the Parish in times of power interruption.

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flooding into account in all areas. Surge maps developed by Sea Grant show that a hurricane that hits Terrebonne Bay or the Atchafalaya could flood all of the City of Houma and portions of the northern parish.

The development trends show that the LA Highway 311 corridor will be the primary growth area for the Parish over the next twenty (20) years. Development pressures are pushing north to avoid flooding from storms and disruption from natural disasters. Accordingly, the Parish is creating zones to encourage residential and commercial activity off the northern portions of Highways 311 and 24 and is employing floodplain management tools to avoid future damages throughout the parish.

The Houma-Terrebonne Comprehensive Plan represents an attempt to respect the special qualities that have resulted in the Parish's historical development as a resource enriched community. The dominating role and urban atmosphere of Houma and the Bayou Cane areas, the vast acres of environmentally sensitive lands, the intricate and extensive system of waterways, the strong family values, and the influence of the Parish's oil-based economy have contributed to Houma-Terrebonne's unique character. The exposure of the lower areas to flooding, changing economic conditions, the influx of labor and people displaced by storms from other communities and the explosion of recreational campsites in the lower part of the parish are major factors in the planning process. The Parish recovery plan is aimed at protecting the integrity of existing communities while at the same time providing for growth and housing options that alleviate flood hazards.

Oil and gas exploration and fisheries are the traditional industries in the area. Terrebonne's growth is attributed to the natural resources available here. The medical and research fields are growing along with manufacturing and retail and other support industry.

Natural Features Brief

Terrebonne Parish is over 85% wetland and open water. This lends itself to a thriving fishery as well as sport fishing and other recreational access to the bayous and ocean bays. However, only 8% is buildable land, and 3.2% remains for future growth. The bayous have some of the highest land due to the natural deposits over thousands of years.

All of Terrebonne Parish is a delta formed by the sediment brought south by the Mississippi and Atchafalaya Rivers. Terrebonne has a total area of 2066.88 square miles (987.358 square miles in land and 1079.330 square miles in water). It is composed of low, flat land with a topography varying from prairies and wooden areas 12' above sea level in the northern part to bayous, lakes, and salt marshes in the southern section. The parish is roughly 29 degrees 36'0" N latitude and 90 degrees 43'30" longitude.

The Parish, located in the Mississippi River Delta, consists of undulating narrow ridges, back swamp borders of the ridges, and extensive swamps and marshes. The coastal marshes and swamps range from sea level to about 3' in elevation and are frequently inundated by overflow from streams and/or tides.

Of the many factors that adversely impact the extremely fragile environment of the Parish, the foremost critical detriment to the overall vitality of the environmental conditions of the Parish is the rate at which Terrebonne Parish is losing its critically important coastline and wetlands.

Scientific records reflect that the Barataria and Terrebonne Basins continue to suffer the highest land loss rates in the State. Loss patterns within the Terrebonne and Barataria Basins are dominated by continued interior land loss, with loss of nonfresh, bay-fringing lands continuing to increase. Areas of greatest loss are concentrated east of the Bayou Dularge ridge within the Terrebonne Basin and along the entire south-central and southeastern portions of the Barataria Basin.

2. Storm Impact Brief

According to the National Weather Service, while tropical storm force winds were observed in portions of Southern Mississippi and Southeast Louisiana, the main impact to the area was water related. The storm surge inundated broad sections of the coast, especially Terrebonne and Lafourche Parishes.

In Southeast Louisiana, storm surge of up to 5 to 8 feet above normal along the southeast Louisiana coast caused

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major tidal flooding. Lower portions of Plaquemines, Jefferson, Lafourche, and Terrebonne Parishes were especially hard hit by storm surge flooding. The unusually high storm surge generated by the distant hurricane affected many low-lying coastal areas. Some locally built levees were breached or overtopped, most notably in southern Terrebonne Parish where 2,500 homes out of the 15,000 homes in the affected area were flooded.

The storm surge flooding took several weeks to fully drain from many low lying areas of southeast Louisiana. The minimum sea level pressure measured in southeast Louisiana was 1002.5 millibars at LUMCON facility near Dulac.

Rainfall across the area was mainly less than one and a half inches.

At least 2,500 homes flooded in the parish based on the quick claims from the National Flood Insurance Program and the Residential Substantial Damage Estimates available through FEMA. FEMA assessments of housing damage confirm that 2,759 homes suffered over \$5,000 in damages. At least 197 owner occupied and 121 rental homes were destroyed beyond repair. Approximately 247 non-residential structures were flooded but seem repairable. After an exhaustive survey by the Parish Department of Planning and Zoning as many as 800 residential structures are thought to be abandoned due to the hurricanes or past flood events. On a positive note, over 1,400 structures elevated above the ABFE and 6,200 partially elevated structures suffered no flood damage.



The high water marks as measured by FEMA and reported in the February draft of the Louisiana Hurricane Ike Coastal High Water Mark Data Collection Study reached 7.5 feet NAVD 29 of still water off of Highway 56 and 8.1 feet NAVD 29 for wave height just east of Highway 55.

Terrebonne Parish has put non-federal levees in place that have served their purpose for many storm events. However, the water from Hurricane Ike breached the Montegut Levee and overtopped each of the following:

Madison Canal	4-3B Pointe Aux Chenes
3-1A Susie Canal	4-3C Isle De Jean Charles
3-1B	4-8 Montegut
3-1B Extension Orange Street South	5-1A Lower Little Caillou
3-1C Shrimpers Row	5-1B Upper Little Caillou
3-2 Mayfield	5-2 Boudreaux Canal
4-1 Upper Pointe Aux Chenes	8-1 Lower Dularge
4-2B Sara Road to Bush Canal	8-2C Marmande North
4-3A Middle Pointe Aux Chenes	8-2D Falgout Canal North

The Parish has spent over \$1.36 million to repair shoulder damage to roads damaged by the hurricanes. TPCG graded and restored shoulders and the surface of portions of 51 roads throughout the parish. In the south of the Parish alone, 123,144 yards of roadwork (23 miles) were required to provide safe access to neighborhoods and businesses. Island Road to the Isle de Jean Charles was limited to one lane for several months and was redamaged by a rainstorm in March before repairs were completed. Much of the roadwork is being funded by FEMA public assistance.

Did the parish have other storm-related episodes of tornados or lightning strikes?

Apparently several localized tornados came through the parish and caused damage to homes and businesses. Roofs were damaged in areas that had sustained winds as well leaving rough lines of lost roofs or downed fences.

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3. Economic Impact Brief

Early estimates from the National Flood Insurance Program suggest that there was over \$60,000,000 in residential property damage from the two storms.

2,342 acres of cropland in Terrebonne flooded for Ike at the peak of the harvest season. This translates to \$3.87 million in losses in revenue to the agricultural community.

New construction projects were delayed at least 30 days due to power and supply disruptions, as well as reprioritization of construction crews.

8,000 businesses had to shut down operations for some period of time due to the evacuation or power outages.

As a result of Gustav, businesses in Terrebonne Parish lost roughly \$50-100MM in productivity (wages paid but workers unable to work) and lost roughly \$200-400MM in revenues due to hurricane-related disruptions (e.g., power outages, worker displacement).

As a result of Gustav, Terrebonne Parish suffered roughly \$75-225MM in physical damages to commercial/industrial structures, property, and inventory (excludes damages to residential, agriculture, and government property).

800 business received up to 3 feet of floodwaters in the facilities

B. Public Service / Institutions

Were there specific public service/institutions impacted by the storm(s) ? (Yes)

Please check the type of services/ institutions that were impacted

Schools	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	First Responder	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hospitals	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Public Buildings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Roads	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sewers/ Drainage	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				

Many of the schools flooded forcing children to go to unfamiliar schools until repairs were made. Island Road was reduced to one lane for months. Hospitals suffered quite a bit of damage -- Chabert Medical Center (one of the parish's two hospitals and the only charity hospital in the region) closed for nearly three weeks. The other public hospital, Terrebonne General Medical Center also sustained damage to its facilities, but reopened once electricity was restored.

The Parish is estimated to be eligible for \$40,000,000 for public buildings and \$20,000,000 for non-public entities in Public Assistance from FEMA.

If 'Other' was checked, please explain:

The Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness experienced communication failures during Hurricane Gustav to the extent that all telephones, cellular and hard-wired phones were inoperable at the Emergency Operations Center. The alternate Emergency Operations Center, which was the South Central Planning and Development Commission Office in Gray, also did not have window protection for flying debris. Dump trucks were utilized as a temporary measure to block windows to prevent damage from flying debris. The Parish does not have an Emergency Operations Center that is rated for a Category 5 Hurricane. OEP is currently operating from a building that most likely will not withstand a Category 3 or higher hurricane. In the event of a Category 3 or higher storm OEP will have to evacuate to the alternate facility.

Were there any unique/ unforeseen failures?

The Parish had secured offices in Alexandria to ensure that communications would remain intact even if the power went out in Terrebonne. The command center would work from Alexandria if necessary until power was restored in the Parish. However, Alexandria also suffered outages, so the phone and internet access from the Parish was limited.

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This caused some confusion among residents who had evacuated regarding the amount of damage sustained and the timeline for returning to their homes. This is being addressed through the purchase of generators and hardening of critical facilities. These corrections were in process prior to the onset of the hurricanes. The generators will be in place prior to the height of this hurricane season. OEP has already moved into their new facility and leveraged community assets to house employees during an event.

Has the Governor's Office for Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness via the FEMA Public Assistance program been made aware of these impacts? (Yes)

The Parish approached all council members, hospitals, the school board and a host of other entities that serve the public and might be eligible for Public Assistance in the early weeks following the storm. The schools and public facilities are working with FEMA through this program to repair damages and incorporate floodproofing strategies.

C. Planning

Does the parish have an approved hazard mitigation plan on file with the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness? (Yes) If no please explain.

Does your parish or any of its municipalities have a comprehensive/ master plan? (Yes)

D. Receipt of CDBG Funds.

Provide the latest date when your parish has received CDBG funding.

Month February Year 2008

Terrebonne Parish is an entitlement community and receives annual funding from HUD.

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SECTION II: COMMUNITY IMPACT

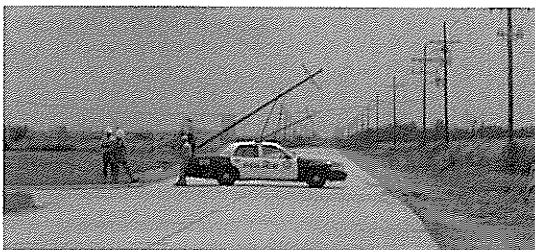
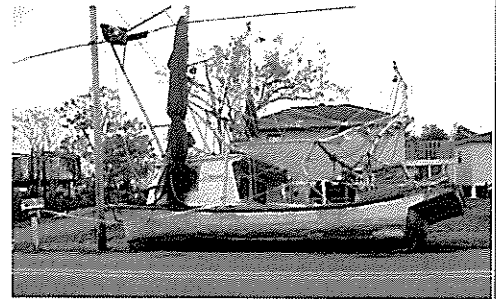
Please use the uniform data provided in Section I.A. and provide any additional qualitative and quantitative support to describe the impact of the storms on communities within the parish. If specific areas within the parish were more severely impacted, please provide boundaries of the area and any unique characteristics (demographics, characteristics of the natural or built environment).



The majority of the residents of the Parish were evacuated not only from the Parish, but the state. Those who could not afford to travel or who had special needs were transported out of state on buses and housed in emergency shelters. All but those with badges to allow employees related to emergency response were required to stay in their temporary shelters for a week. This was a hardship for many of our residents who live paycheck to paycheck. The Civic Center served as a staging ground for dispensing water, ice, food and tarps as most people lost everything in their refrigerators and freezers during the power outage and a boil water advisory was in effect until the potential for contamination was ruled out. There was a collective sigh of relief when the first local grocery stores reopened.

Travel was hazardous immediately after Hurricane Gustav. Power lines were down and leaning over the major thoroughfares and trees blocked streets entirely. In Dulac a boat had been lifted by the flood waters and deposited on the far side of the road 100 yards from the bayou.

Many homes had "blue roofs" and needed to be tarped to avoid further damage from rain falling into the homes. Hurricane Ike damaged was caused nearly entirely from rising water and the rains were limited to (INCHES). This was a reprieve for those homes that might otherwise have been considered total losses.



All of the nearly 8,000 businesses in the parish experienced business interruption for more than a week due to a mandatory evacuation of the entire parish followed by 100 percent power outage in the parish by Hurricane Gustav even though the Parish has a combination of the three electric service providers.

Gustav, being a wind event, mainly caused physical damage from downed trees and power poles, damaged roofs and metal buildings.

The damage to the parish was such that residents were unable to return to work for several days. With Ike on Gustav's heels, many residents held onto their hotel rooms, fearing another mandatory evacuation. Parts of the lower lying areas were evacuated a second time for Hurricane Ike. An estimated 800 people have yet to return to their homes. Over 750 people applied for repair permits and are on a waiting list for elevation funding. The flooding from Ike was widespread. The home on the right was washed off it's foundation and landed on a levee 700 feet away. Though most elevated structures were not flooded, the trailer to below was swept off it's platform.



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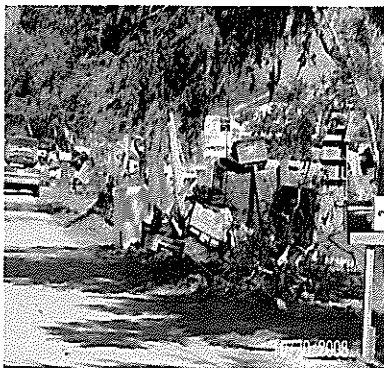


Parish officials estimate nearly 800 business addresses were flooded by Hurricane Ike, including most of Terrebonne's eastern industrial corridor -- the bulk of its large industrial business. Those businesses on the eastern side of Houma near the Port of Terrebonne sustained flooding of up to 3 feet inside their facilities forcing workshops, fabrication facilities to shut down and offices to relocate. See the map on page 9 developed by the Parish in the days following the storms.

Many small businesses experienced declines in revenue from the interruption of business and redirection of citizens' disposable income to the rebuilding of their homes and other necessities of life. This

seriously impacted their ability to generate working capital and maintain pre-storm employment levels.

Personnel were evacuated from a total of 326 production platforms, equivalent to 45.5 % of the 717 manned platforms in the Gulf of Mexico. Personnel from 19 rigs were evacuated. This is equivalent to 15.7 % of the 121 rigs that operate in the Gulf. Comparing Katrina to Gustav: Four days after the Hurricane Gustav landed, 90.5% of oil production in the Gulf of Mexico remained offline, according to the Minerals Management Service. Four days after Hurricane Katrina the storm, 89% of oil production and 72% of gas production was still offline. In other words, Gustav has so far had a greater impact on gulf production than Katrina did. Perhaps due to mitigation measures, Gustav appears to have done far less damage to the gulf's energy infrastructure and recovery is expected.

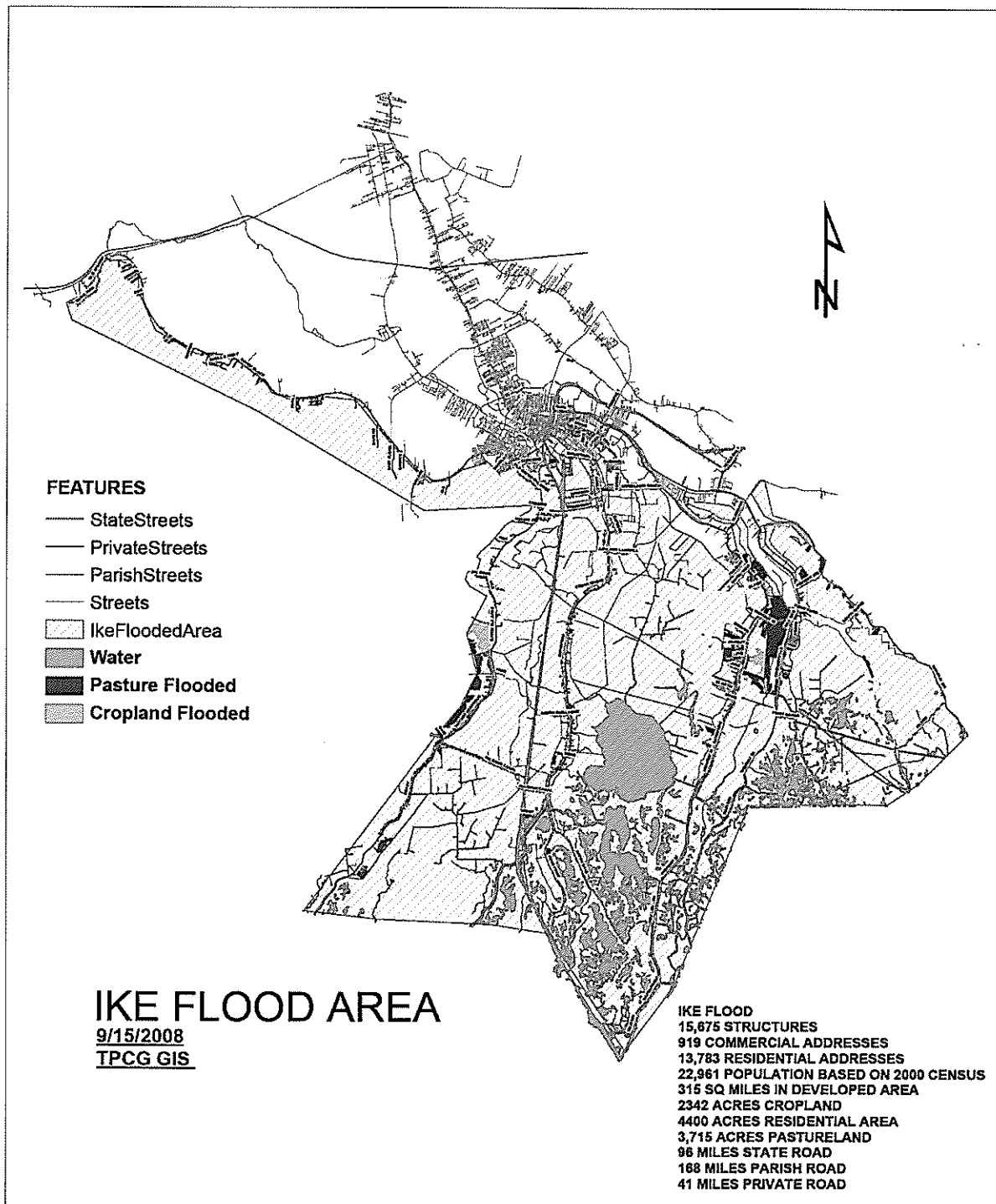


Tons of debris were removed from the Parish. Much of this comprised the resident's belongings (per capita income of 16,000).

While the Parish has suffered losses to public and private facilities, homes, churches, vessels and parts of our coastal marshland, we have an economy that is drawing people to Terrebonne Parish. This is placing added demand and pressure on the housing market making it difficult for people to move out of their flooded homes and to an area less likely to flood. Our recovery plan focuses on developing new housing options in areas less prone to flooding and protecting the housing stock that we have, particularly the low to moderate-income areas, through a comprehensive levee and coastal management program.

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Note: Legend quantifies structures, natural features and land use in the flooded area, not verified damages.

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SECTION III: PROGRAM AREA DEVELOPMENT

Provide a brief description of specific project activities you propose in each program area, as reflected by those areas identified on the cover sheet, and the recovery needs that they will address.

HOUSING		
Homeowner Rehabilitation - Elevation Gap Funding <input type="checkbox"/> 2%	Homeowner Compensation <input type="checkbox"/>	Housing Buyout Program <input type="checkbox"/> 3%
Homeownership Financing <input type="checkbox"/> 2%	Homelessness Prevention <input type="checkbox"/>	New Development/ Construction & Neighborhood Redevelopment <input type="checkbox"/> 5%
Rental Rehabilitation <input type="checkbox"/> 1%		Total Category <input type="checkbox"/> 13%

Terrebonne Parish is the second fastest growing metropolitan area in the country. Prior to Hurricanes Gustav and Ike the rental market was well beyond the available units and the housing prices were above the means of many workforce residents. The hurricanes have exacerbated these challenges.

To expedite the growth of the rental market, Terrebonne Parish will be providing support to first time homebuyers, but also provide infrastructure for mixed-income rental and single-family home developments in addition to the state set aside specifically for affordable rental properties. The Parish only had 89 rental properties available as of November 2008. Of these, only nine were accessible at Fair Market Rent. Of the other 80, seven were up to 120% of fair market rent and the balance up to and above 150%, which will not be paid by HUD. Estimated median house

or condo value in 2000 was \$72,200. By 2007, the median value was \$117,000, or a 38% increase.* There was no concurrent jump in the income level of the average Parish resident.

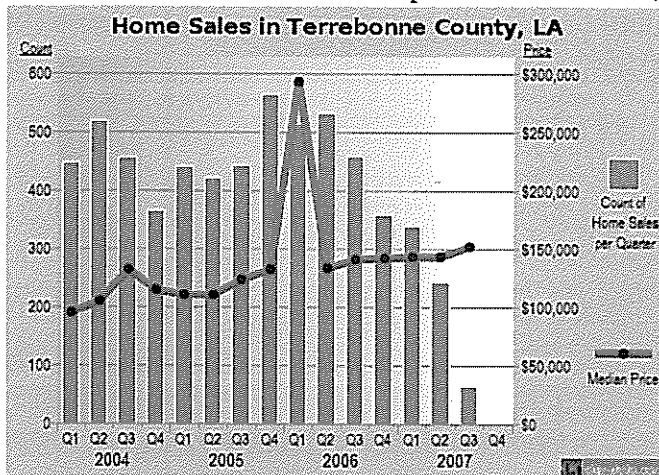


Table 1 further illustrates the increasing house prices that are limiting access to home ownership, particularly in this financial climate. Median house pricing has risen above \$150,000, and few properties are accessible to the workforce and low-income residents, many of whom are living in substandard housing due to flood damage.

In 2005 559 homes were permitted at an average building cost of \$78,800. In 2006, 635 houses were built, but some estimates claim that the cost of building climbed significantly in Terrebonne Parish.*

Table 1. *http://www.city-data.com/county/Terrebonne_Parish-LA.html

AFFORDABLE RENTAL UNITS

\$10 million funded by the State Set-aside

Terrebonne Parish has published a request for proposal to invite for profit and non-profits developers to present plans for leveraging these funds through private investment or tax credits, and propose their visions for providing affordable rental housing. Very few affordable units were available prior to the storm and vacancies are rare at this time. TPCG is opting to administer the program at the parish level rather than relying on the state to choose and

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administer the program. It is the initial vision that the Parish would provide infrastructure to the developments to decrease the per unit costs of construction. The Parish reserves the right to earmark a portion of the allocated funding for housing development for acquisition of land, easements or other property should that be necessary to reach Parish goals. In housing as well as other recovery areas, the Parish may need to request waivers from the standard HUD restrictions to achieve our goals.

HOMEOWNERSHIP FINANCING

First Time Homebuyer Assistance

Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government shall provide homeownership assistance to applicants that meet the Department of Housing and Urban Development's definition of First Time Homebuyer and are approved for a loan from a private or public lender that complies with Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government's First Time Homebuyer guidelines. Approved applicants shall receive down-payment and closing costs assistance of up to \$25,000.00. Applicants will be required to contribute at least 1% of the loan amount or \$1,000.00; whichever is greater, towards the cost of the certified appraisal, credit report, homeowner's insurance and/or flood insurance. In an effort to provide LMI applicants up to 120% of the median income with affordable mortgage loans, only mortgages that have fixed rates and do not exceed 1% above the current FNMA 90-day delivery rate will be allowed. Assistance shall be in the form a 3-year forgivable loan. This program will increase the availability of affordable owner-occupied housing.

HOMEOWNER REHABILITATION

Owner Occupied Rehabilitation Program

Financial assistance to LMI applicants of up to \$50,000.00 shall be provided in the form of a 3-year forgivable loan towards the cost of rehabilitation. The loan will be deferred provided that the "terms and conditions" of the loan agreement are adhered to. Repairs will be required to meet applicable building codes. This program will address the need to sustain affordable owner-occupied housing damaged by hurricanes Gustav and Ike.

RENTAL REHABILITATION

Rental Rehabilitation Program

Financial assistance will be given to owners of rental property that agree to rent units at fair market rates as defined by the Department of Housing Development to applicants that are at or below 80% of the area median income. The maximum assistance shall be 50% of the total repair cost or \$50,000.00 per unit, whichever is less. Assistance shall be in the form of a forgivable loan. This program will address the need to sustain and/or increase affordable rental housing damaged by hurricanes Gustav and Ike.

Mixed Income Owner Occupied Housing Development

CDBG funds will be used to develop new owner occupied workforce housing in Terrebonne Parish. The development will have 55% of units available for purchase to families that are at or below 120% of the area median income. The remaining 45% will be made available to families that exceed 80% of the area median income. We are proposing two developments of this type. Funds will be used to provide the installation of infrastructure in an effort to lower the per lot cost. This project will increase the availability of affordable owner-occupied housing.

Elevation Assistance

After hurricane Ike the permit office processed 100 permits a day for several weeks. In that process they tracked people who were interested in elevations which is over 700 requests to date. We have since advertised for people who didn't get permits yet, but want to elevate, to write to the Parish to show their interest in elevating. We received fifty more unique claims in response to the ad. Most people have been advised to apply for the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program expected from FEMA in the fall. However, many people need gap funding rather than 75% of the cost or more. These applicants may have received ICC or Road Home money, but still need \$10,000 for stairs, plumbing and electrical. This assistance is to help those people who are low to moderate-income and cannot find the complementary funding without this assistance. The parish will require a rejection letter due to income from a mortgage company, NRCS or the SBA as part of the application.

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INFRASTRUCTURE		
Infrastructure Recovery Program	<input type="checkbox"/>	80%

Terrebonne Parish has been investing in planning and engineering activities to improve the delivery of services during the storm season and meet the goals of the Long-term Recovery Plan, the Hazard Mitigation Plan and the Comprehensive Plan. Parish and other funds are in place for emergency generators, pump station screen cleaners, and a levee/road combination to name a few projects. After reviewing the options available through the stimulus package, several road, drinking water and sewage treatment issues will be funded through stimulus funds or state revolving fund loans.

The Parish will be investing recovery dollars to improve pump stations and increase the effectiveness of the levee system and coastal barriers to surge intrusion and erosion losses. There is also an urgent need for a new Juvenile Detention Facility and expansion into the Gray area for sewerage. Growth plans include encouraging building homes in the northern part of the parish to supply homes for those who are not required to live down the bayou to have quick access to water-dependent industry or assets. These projects will be administered by the Parish rather than opting for state administration.

LEEVE PROTECTION SYSTEM

Levee projects are not traditionally funded with CDBG dollars, and these and coastal restoration projects may require waivers from HUD. Each of the levee construction or improvement projects were identified in the parish's Long Term Recovery Plan, and will serve a LMI income area located adjacent to the project area and/or fulfill an urgent need. Please see the attached map of the proposed levees (page 14) for a better idea of the comprehensive nature of the plan in relation to the communities that currently lack levee protection. A map of the low to moderate-income areas of the parish is available on page 19. The levee protection system will serve the areas where most of the affordable housing is available. While the housing programs aim to make more housing available for displaced residents and improve existing homes through elevations, the levee program protects existing homes and property.

Intracoastal Canal/Palm Avenue Levee

This ongoing project includes improvement and elevation of existing levees and floodwalls located along the west bank of the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway in Houma, LA, in the vicinity of Palm Avenue. The levee and bulkheads, which serve as the closure to the 1-1B watershed will be improved/elevated to +7 NAVD.

Suzie Canal (North) Levee Extension

This project includes the construction of approximately 13,000 linear ft of levee and necessary appurtenances to provide tidal/tropical storm flood protection to the areas between Cane Break Subdivision and the community of Bobtown, located in Ward 4, Terrebonne Parish, LA. The levee and appurtenances will be constructed to an elevation of +8 NAVD.

Ashland North Levee Improvements and Extension

Due to flood losses in this area, the project includes the construction of new levee and elevation of existing levee of total length of approximately 8,000 linear ft to provide tidal/tropical storm flood protection to the areas between the Thompson Road Extension and the St. Louis Canal, located in Ward 4, Terrebonne Parish, LA. The levee and appurtenances will be constructed to an elevation of +8 NAVD.

Cane Break to Ashland Landfill Levee

This project includes the construction of approximately 17,800 linear ft of levee and necessary appurtenances to provide tidal/tropical storm flood protection to the areas between Cane Break Subdivision and the Ashland Landfill, located in Ward 4, Terrebonne Parish, LA. The levee and appurtenances will be constructed to an elevation of +8

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Shrimpers Row Levee

One of the southern-most projects, the Shrimpers Row Levee includes the construction of approximately 24,200 linear ft of levee and necessary appurtenances to provide tidal/tropical storm flood protection to the areas along Shrimpers Row, located in Ward 4, Terrebonne Parish, LA. The levee and appurtenances will be constructed to an elevation of +8 NAVD.

Upper Dularge East Levee

The project includes the construction of approximately 27,500 linear ft of levee and necessary appurtenances to provide tidal/tropical storm flood protection to the areas between Bayou Prevost and Falgout Canal, located on the left descending bank of Bayou Dularge in Ward 10, Terrebonne Parish, LA. The levee and appurtenances will be constructed to an elevation of +8 NAVD. This project will serve an urgent need.

Lower 4-1 Levee Improvements

Located in the Pointe aux Chenes community, this effort includes the elevation of approximately 18,000 linear ft of levee and necessary appurtenances to provide tidal/tropical storm flood protection to the areas between Point Farm Ridge and the J-1 levee located in Ward 6, Terrebonne Parish, LA. The levee and appurtenances will be constructed to an elevation of +10 NAVD.

Ward 7 Levee Elevation

The feasibility report is complete for this project which includes the elevation of approximately 85,000 linear ft of levee and necessary appurtenances to provide tidal/tropical storm flood protection to the areas between St. Louis Canal and Boudreaux Canal in the Little Caillou community, located in Ward 7, Terrebonne Parish, LA. The levee and appurtenances will be constructed to an elevation of +10 NAVD. This project will serve an LMI area and satisfy an urgent need.

Dr. Beatrous Road Levee Elevation

This project includes the elevation of approximately 18,300 linear ft of levee and necessary appurtenances to provide tidal/tropical storm flood protection to the areas between Marmande Canal and Falgout canal on the right descending bank of Bayou Dularge, located in Ward 10, Terrebonne Parish, LA. The levee and appurtenances will be constructed to an elevation of +10 NAVD. This project will serve an urgent need.

Falgout Canal West Barge Gate Structure

Serving as the first of a group of gate projects to eliminate surge, this project includes the construction of a barge and receiving structure. The gate will prevent tidal/tropical storm surges from entering the areas already protected from surges emanating from the west by levees. The construction of the barge gate and receiving structure is a cost effective alternative to a sector gate. As well as serving a low to moderate-income area, this project is an urgent need.

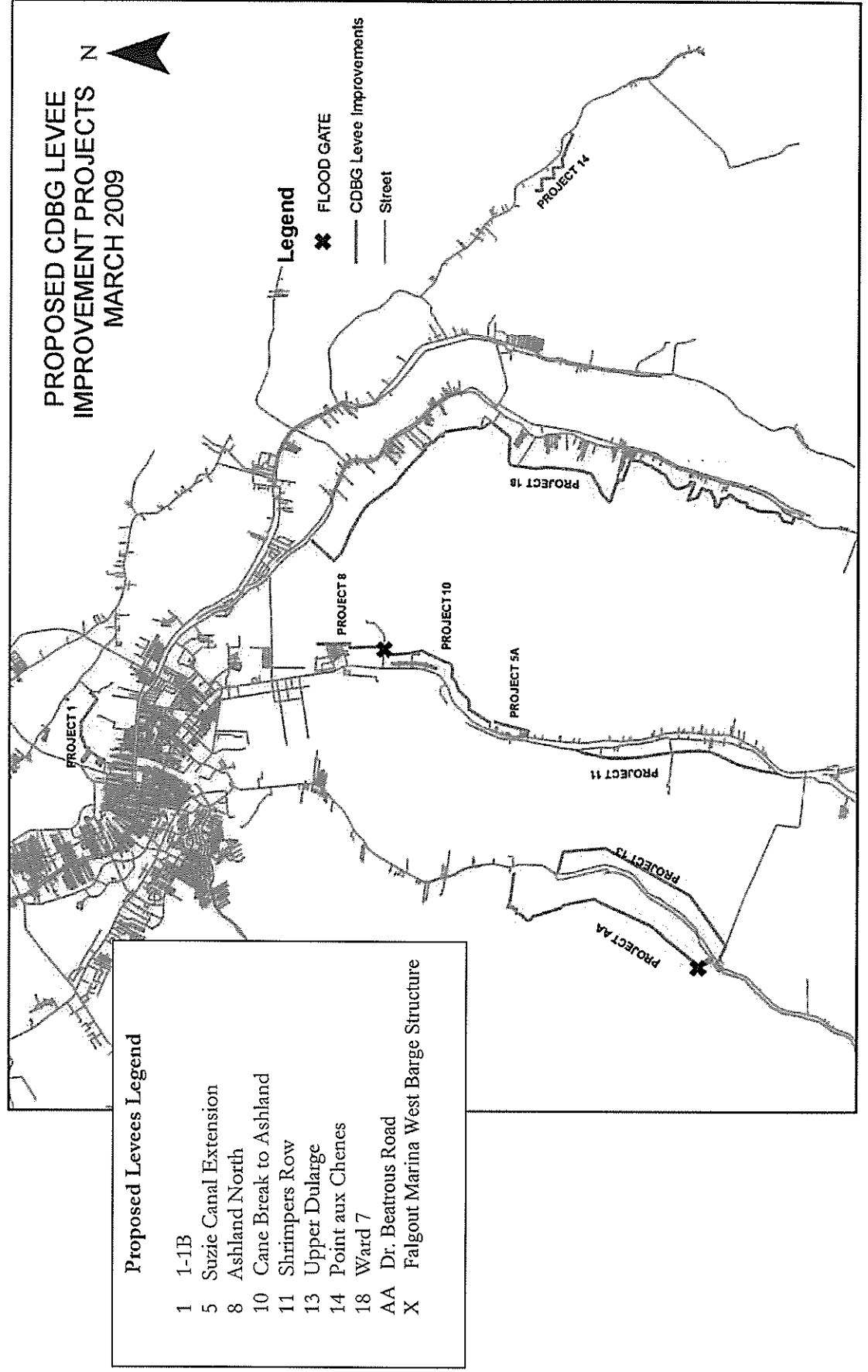
The Levee Board has agreed in principle to construct two surge protection barge gate structures at Bayou Grand Caillou and the Houma Navigational Canal so they were not included in this plan.

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The following projects will also serve the LMI income area located adjacent to the project, but are also considered of an urgent need. The improved drainage has been a goal of the Long Term Recovery Plan.

Dularge Bridge

Requested by the community, this project includes the construction of a new bridge to interconnect HWY 315 to Dr. Beatrous Road, in Theriot, LA located within Ward 10 of Terrebonne Parish, LA. This will replace two bridges currently in place that do not provide for safe access of heavy vehicles across Bayou Dularge.

FORCED DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS

Ashland Drainage Pump Station.

Project includes the construction of a new drainage pump station to replace an existing under capacity and structurally deficient station.

Upper Grand Caillou-Shrimper's Row Drainage Pump Station.

Description: Project includes the construction of a new drainage pump station to replace an existing under capacity and structurally deficient station.

Baroid-Bayou Lacarpe Drainage Pump Station.

Description: Project includes the construction of a new drainage pump station to replace an existing under capacity and structurally deficient station.

The **Summerfield Drainage Pump Station Project** includes the construction of a new drainage pump station to replace an existing station that is under capacity and structurally deficient. This pump is a matter of urgent need.

SEWERAGE EXTENSION

The proposed project would provide for the necessary sewerage infrastructure extensions to serve the LMI areas of the Gray community as well as providing inducements to foster economic growth along and adjacent to the Hwy 90 (Future I-49) corridor. This Project would serve the Energy Facility currently in the permitting stage and the proposed Juvenile Detention Facility.

OTHER INFRASTRUCTURE

Juvenile Detention Facility

Construct a new Juvenile Detention Facility of approximately 11,000 square feet. During the hurricanes, the inmates must be evacuated. After Gustav and Ike the juveniles couldn't return immediately. When they did return, their meals had to be purchased commercially as the adult prison kitchen was still closed due to flooding in that building. To provide for the safety and security of the parish and the juveniles, the Parish has identified and proposes to acquire land in the north of the Parish to move the juveniles out of the floodplain. The location is near Highway 90 and can also provide for a more regionally available facility to satisfy regional juvenile detention needs in neighboring parishes. The parish may be able to combine the CDBG funds with FEMA Public Assistance funding related to the damage to the building during the hurricanes. This would not be a match, but a pooling of funding to mitigate future damages.

ALTERNATE PROJECTS

Marsh Rehabilitation

Terrebonne Parish leads the country in the loss of coastal protection from natural barriers. Over nine square miles were lost as a result of Hurricane Rita. We are in the process of documenting the loss from Hurricanes Ike and Gustav. Rehabilitation of marsh that has been scoured away during the hurricanes is critical to protecting our coastlines for the preservation of our economic base, the housing for those in the water-dependent industries, and our

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nationally and internationally recognized habitat. The rehabilitated marshlands will add protection to the levee system and low to moderate-income properties that are outside the footprint of proposed levees by dissipating the impact of storm surges. The loss of the marshland is partially responsible for the increased flood risk in the parish at this time, and rehabilitation will contribute to the economic stability and physical safety of the community in the served area.

Bayou Terrebonne Bank Stabilization Project

This project would serve multiple purposes, each of which improve floodplain characteristics and reduce the impact of storms. Lake Boudreaux, like much of the coast in the parish, loses marsh during storm events. Bayou Terrebonne is in need of dredging to increase fresh water flows to the south to protect the salinity continuum required for healthy wetland and marsh. This project will require massive dredging and bulkheading or other bank stabilization to protect the nearby residential areas. However, sediments harvested from the dredging will be used to stabilize the banks near the residential areas and rehabilitate the marsh lost to Lake Boudreaux. This protects both homes and habitat and complements other state and federal cooperative projects.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT		
Economic Recovery and Revitalization	<input type="checkbox"/>	2%

Fisheries Cold Storage-Kitchen Incubator

The fisheries industry in the Bayou Region is in dire need of assistance, particularly following the most recent hurricane disasters of 2008. The Terrebonne Economic Development Authority will own the facility, however, the land will remain in the ownership of Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government. A board of governance will be created for oversight. This cooperative endeavor will enable the facility to offer business assistance to the struggling industry, helping to retain low-to-moderate jobs within the fisheries and processing community. A board of governance will be created for oversight and through cooperative endeavor agreement designate operational protocols.

This facility will assist fisheries at all levels by providing a regional alternative to other Louisiana cold storage facilities, the closest of which is in Baton Rouge. Most local processors and fishers, however, transport catch as far away as Mobile, AL., for storage since space is extremely limited.

A kitchen incubator dedicated to seafood is also included in the plan for the facility. The proposed cold storage-kitchen incubator is an initiative that will allow entrepreneurs to start and grow value-added seafood businesses in an environment that limits operating costs by sharing office space and other resources. The kitchen incubator is intended to allow fishermen and processors to develop added value to their product prior to sale, such as individual quick freeze (IQF). Natural gas generators for storm events or other disasters are part of the construction plan as well. This will allow all catch to be safely stored significantly closer than any alternative cold storage option available to regional fisheries at this time. The project aims to assist the recovery needs of local and regional fisheries while elevating both the fishing and seafood processing industries. As well as a safe harbor for fresh or frozen catch, the facility will supply travel cost savings, a kitchen incubator for value-added testing, and processing and growing of small seafood businesses. This facility would provide opportunity to low-income entrepreneurs trying to develop alternative revenue streams as well as stabilize the infrastructure that supports their industry.

This project has been in planning since Katrina, and has received partial CDBG funding through LRA. Terrebonne Parish has committed to leasing or donating the land to the project. The land was originally purchased with CDBG funds, and Terrebonne proposes to use Gustav/Ike recovery funding to outfit this Greenfield space with utility service -- sewer, water, electric, and natural gas, as well as road access -- for the proposed project.

The overall project includes the construction of a 43,000-square-foot cold-storage facility on the far northern tip of Terrebonne Parish, LA, to provide cold storage for the fisheries industry. It is initially comprised of more than 31,000 square feet of freezer space, 5,000 square feet of refrigerated further-processing area to house equipment for a seafood value-added kitchen incubator funded by LRA, and approximately 4,000 square feet of refrigerated dock space. The facility will also include three administrative offices and a break room and restrooms for at least eight (8) employees and a number of employees to be determined by the tenancy of the incubator -- at an approximate size of 3,000 square feet. The proposed facility is designed for expansion of 20,000 square feet to meet future demand.

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Loan and Grant Program for Storm-Affected Businesses

The loan and grant program will supplement existing parish CDBG, TEDA micro and SBA loan programs. Many of these small businesses are struggling; the majority of them employ individuals that would be considered either low or moderate-income. After Gustav/Ike, at least 235 Terrebonne companies who suffered economic injury (as defined by the SBA) such as, lost equipment, facilities, revenues, etc., or experienced storm damage to facilities or equipment were not eligible for existing loan programs for multiple reasons. This program aims to make direct funding available for companies affected by Gustav/Ike in a grant-loan format, patterned after post-Katrina state programs. Eligibility is as follows: Any for-profit entity (individual, firm, partnership, or corporation) legally doing business within the Parish of Terrebonne, which have been affected by Hurricane Gustav and/or Ike or deemed eligible under the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) microloan program. Non-profit childcare centers are eligible to borrow under this program, but no other type of non-profit business is eligible. Up to 20 percent of the entire request would be considered for grant with the remaining being a low-interest loan. Each loan application will be evaluated on its own merit for viability and sustainability through our existing Community Development Block Grant loan committee, which is comprised of volunteer bankers, accountants, realtors, and CDBG-trained parish government representatives.

Small businesses, as defined by the Small Business Administration, are the targets of the program; other businesses may be considered for the program upon availability of additional/expanded funding opportunities. Terrebonne Parish currently contracts with TEDA to administer its CDBG revolving loan fund program; these funds would expand that program's capacity and availability.

The Small Business Act defines a small business as a concern that is organized for profit; has a place of business in the U.S.; operates primarily within the U.S. or makes a significant contribution to the U.S. economy through payment of taxes or use of American products, materials or labor; is independently owned and operated; and is not dominant in its field on a national basis. The business may be a sole proprietorship, partnership, corporation, or any other legal form. In determining what constitutes a small business, the definition will vary to reflect industry differences. Small Business Size Regulations specifying size standards and governing their use are set forth in Title 13, Code of Federal Regulations, part 121 (13 CFR §121). SBA's size regulations pertaining to Federal procurement are also found in the Federal Acquisition Regulation, 48 CFR part 19.

Generator Hook-up Grant

This program is designed to provide funding to outfit critical businesses -- specifically fuel stations, ice plants, groceries, and pharmacies; for diesel generator hook-ups -- in the event of a man-made or natural disaster which results in a power outage event. During Gustav, the Louisiana Governor's Office and the Department of Natural Resources provided generators for critical business to begin operating in advance of the return of the general population. Many businesses contacted for loans of generators did not have the proper wiring and electrical system to safely use the generators being offered. This program will grant funds for improvements to critical commercial retail businesses to be prepared for future storm or other power-outage events to enable recovery support. This is an immediate need, a hazard-mitigation procedure that will provide funding for building improvements ensuring compatibility with backup power sources. This initiative, while falling into the national-objective category of urgent need, will help retain jobs and population in a post-storm environment and allow for rapid reinvigoration of our economy and the returning population.

ALTERNATE PROJECTS

Technical Assistance Program for Storm-Affected Businesses

With the grant funds, Terrebonne Economic Development Authority (TEDA) plans to support the direct technical assistance it already offers in such areas as basic business services offered through the Hurricane Katrina CDBG technical assistance program. Those services include accounting, legal, financial management, marketing, business plan development; counseling on business structure, location, management, operations and publicity; advanced business services: strategic planning, human resources, technology transfer, regulation and taxation, government contract procurement, marketing analysis; financing: loan grant application preparation, financial structuring, referral services;

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and entrepreneurship: business plan development, financial projection development, entrepreneurial training counseling, and micro-enterprise development guidance in obtaining applicable state and federal tax credits; coordination of resources with strategic partners in the community and state; assistance addressing workforce development issues; and disaster planning. TEDA staff will be able to continuing support of local business people individually as well as in groups.

Through the business outreach program, TEDA will continue to offer accounting, insurance counseling, and legal assistance through contractual services with experts in those fields. This will include, but not be limited to legal organization of business, notary services, creation of bookkeeping system and consultation on tax liability.

TEDA's aim is to help companies impacted by the storms to re-evaluate their business market and strategy, helping position them to move forward and regain their balance. That will enable the companies to grow and contribute substantially to the parish's economic base.

The state-funded portion of the program ends in the fall of 2009 and need of the assistance is evident in the continuing inquiries and use of existing program. That program expires four years after a storm event; Terrebonne Parish's businesses are currently only five months post-Gustav/Ike and history indicates the business community will continue to need support for at least two years.

LRA has indicated it plans to create such a program for primary producers in fisheries and agriculture, but its program would not address the remaining need – presumably most of those 200-plus documented cases.

Terrebonne Intermodal Facility

With Terrebonne Parish lacking developed industrial property with combined rail, water, and highway service, the 300-plus acres of former industrial property in Gibson offers a prime opportunity for advances on multiple fronts. This facility would serve every day needs of business, create jobs for entry level and skilled workers and provide an intermodal network of travel and shipping options during storm events. At this time Terrebonne must rely on the road system for transportation of people and supplies in and out of the parish for the hurricanes for example. The improved rail access would expedite both evacuation and supply transfer into the parish when road access is restricted or blocked by debris.

The securing of the intermodal facility would enable Terrebonne Parish to put significant infrastructure back into operation, expand the capacity of local industry, and facilitate recruitment of new industrial sectors. Revitalizing this area of the parish would encourage growth and provide a location for companies facing storm affect resulting from flooding and tidal surge an opportunity to still have access to waterborne transportation critical to marine and oilfield-service industries. It reduces the risk of those companies moving out of the area when impacted by storm waters; this property has historically never flooded from storm surge. Additionally, this location provides us with the best opportunity to diversify our economy in the marine industry because of the access to deep-water passage. Furthermore, the property is located close enough to the existing rail line so that running a spur from it is feasible, is close to Hwy. 90 and would service one of the highest concentrations of low to moderate-income communities in the parish and neighboring parishes. These features offer the opportunity to equip Terrebonne with an intermodal facility to grow the industrial base, restoring the property to its former use, growing the tax base and providing jobs. It would potentially employ the low to moderate-income individuals that live in the region; this facility would draw from a three-parish area.

This project has been in the planning for more than three years, seeing as Terrebonne's water access is dwindling and rail has long been desired by industrial projects. For a community wishing to diversify its tax base, investing in an intermodal facility is an avenue toward growth. This is the only site in Terrebonne Parish where the infrastructures of rail, water, and highway already exist without a significant investment in construction. Currently, it is out of service, but offers a great opportunity for existing business to grow into a more secure environment.

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ADMINISTRATION AND PLANNING		
Community Resiliency Program <input type="checkbox"/> %	Public Services Program <input type="checkbox"/> %	Administration <input type="checkbox"/> <u>5%</u> <i>*Max of 5%</i>

Due to the significant increase in administrative services required by the Parish, our plan includes a capacity building proposal for staff members. The majority of the new staff will be assigned to the accounting department to handle the significant financial tracking and reporting required by HUD/CDBG funded programs. Several of the projects will require project management and auditing skill sets, but those will be included in the cost of the programs they serve rather than adding significant additional staff to the Parish payroll.

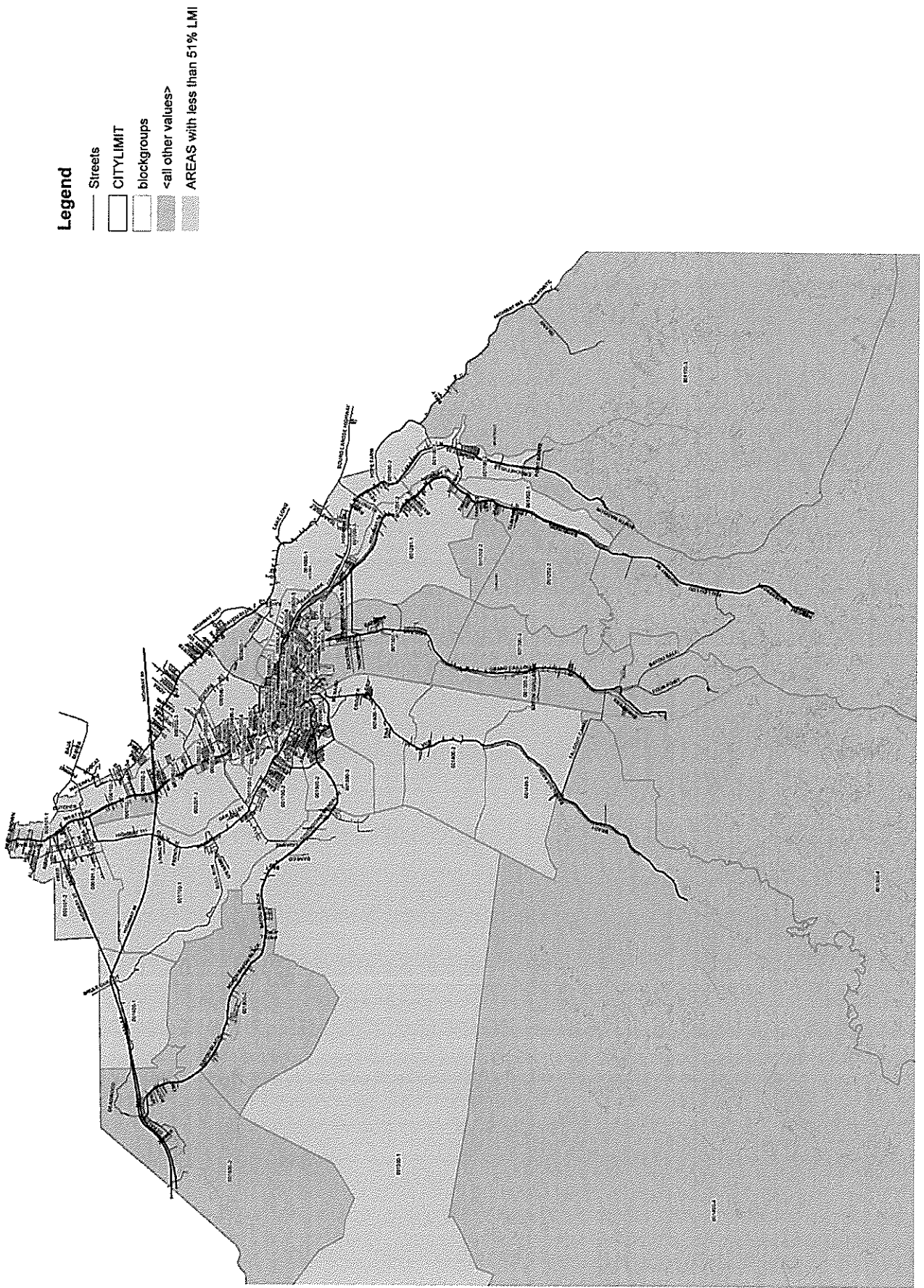
The Parish is embarking on a revision to the Comprehensive Plan and is applying for \$300,000 of these funds to hire a consultant and pay for other eligible expenses. The Terrebonne plan for recovery is closely aligned with the Long Term Recovery and Hazard Mitigation Plans that are in place and approved by the respective state and federal agencies. Significant funding will be available through the state revolving fund for stimulus projects as well as disaster recovery funding. With such an opportunity to move forward with those infrastructure and housing stock goals in particular, the Comprehensive Plan is an opportunity for the Parish to take a leap forward and focus on not only hazard mitigation and housing, but energy efficiency, new building techniques, coastal restoration, neighborhood revitalization, and other long term benefits.

Attachments

Please see Attachment 1 for a list of each Priority Project, the proposed budget allocation, selection criteria for projects and the Priority Alternate List. These project costs are the best estimates available at this time and are subject to change. See Attachment 2 for the list of other items that, if eligible, may be substitutes should higher prioritized projects fail to be funded, receive funding elsewhere, receive permit approval or otherwise no longer meet the selection criteria. Attachment 3 indicates a rough hierarchy of projects if higher ranked projects should fail to materialize.

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SECTION IV: MUNICIPAL AND CITIZEN PARTICIPATION:

A. Municipal Participation

The LRA/ OCD-DRU strongly encourages participation of the leadership of municipalities in the identification of recovery priorities and the development of a recovery program.

Has the parish formally met with the leadership of all the municipalities within its jurisdiction?
Terrebonne is a consolidated government.

If yes, please provide an invite list, agenda and meeting summary/ minutes for each meeting convened.

If no, please provide a proposed date/ time and agenda for the meeting.

B. Citizen Participation

The LRA/ OCD-DRU strongly encourages citizen participation to help inform the identification of recovery priorities and the development of a recovery program. As a result, the requirement set forth is that three public meetings be held before the final plan/project list is submitted for approval. The public meetings must adhere to the requirements of 24 CFR Sec. 570.486 and other applicable regulations.

At least two public meetings must be held in the development of the Proposal form in order to solicit public input.

1. Notice of first public hearing (must be 5 to 21 days prior to the hearing).

Date of advertisement February 5, 2009

Date of hearing February 12, 2009

2. Describe the methods used to solicit participation of low and moderate-income persons.

Parish officials sent all public notices to all media outlets including television and radio as well as communications to churches, Council members, and non-profits. As well, the proceedings of the first and third meetings were provided to Houma Television for rebroadcast for those who could not attend. President Claudet also announced the meetings during radio and television interviews as well as at meetings in the bayou areas related to parish levee projects.

The draft plans, slides from the presentations, and forms to express interest in some of the housing programs were available at the government building or through the mail for those who requested information.

The Parish reached out to the public and the Council members that represent the general public and non-profits that serve special populations to better assess the needs of the Parish and the needs of each community. The Council Members were present at each meeting and spoke about the needs of their districts and the need for the Parish to act as one for parish wide benefits.

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3. Describe any adverse comments/complaints received and describe resolution.

1. February 26, 2009

Mr. Schoest complained at the second Scoping Hearing that the draft was going to the state before the public was going to see it and the public was shut out of the process. This is on the recording for the meeting. Both Councilman Kevin Voisin and Jennifer Gerbasi, Recovery Planner for the Parish and the moderator of the event explained to the audience and on the recorded record that the draft was not created or due to the state, and that there would be two more public hearings to present the draft and receive and incorporate public comment.

2. May 29, 2009

Mr. Reggie Bourg expressed his feelings that the parish did not reach out to the non-English speaking population, provide enough geographical information about where the projects were located, or use the TPTV sufficiently to communicate with the general public. The Parish is developing a written response outlining the publications, replay of the meetings on TPTV, the access to presentations and documents in the office and on the web, and the maps in the application outlining the location of projects.

4. Attach to the form:

- a) Tear sheet of all public notices
- b) Signed Minutes of the public hearings including lists of signatures from attendees
- c) Copy of response(s) to comments and/or complaint

February 26, 2009	Ad 2/20/09	Second Public Scoping Meeting	Municipal Auditorium
April 27, 2009	Ad 4/19/09	Public Comment Meeting	Council Chambers
May 13, 2009	Ad 5/6/09	Council Approval/ Public Comment	Council Chambers
May 22-30, 2009	Ad 5/22/09	Public Comment on Application Draft	

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SECTION V: REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION

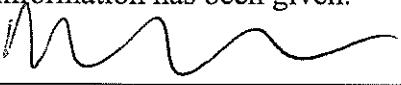
Parishes will apply for funds utilizing the process as directed by the State and defined in the Action Plan Amendment. For purposes of the proposal, the following documents must be attached. (Subsequent documents will be required according to HUD/CDBG requirements for implementation, approval of project applications, and the draw down of funds).

1. Proposal Form
2. A copy of the resolution authorizing the Proposal Form by the parish governing body.
3. Copy of all Citizen Participation documents as noted in Section IV of this Proposal Form.

Note -- This report must be updated and submitted to OCD DRU if there are any substantial changes in the information contained in the report. Such changes may include revised funding uses, sources or amounts.

To the best of my knowledge and belief, information in the Proposal Form is true and correct. Applicant also agrees to comply with requirements of 24 CFR Part 58.

I am aware that the proposed project activity may be removed from further consideration should it be determined that there are significant discrepancies in the information provided, and/or false, inaccurate or incomplete information has been given.



Signature, Chief Executive Officer

Michel H. Claudet

Name Typed

Parish President

Title

6/2/09

Date

If multi-jurisdictional application, joint applicant must also certify below.

Signature, Chief Executive Officer

Name Typed

Title

Date

SUBMIT AN ORIGINAL AND ONE COPY OF THE FORM TO:

Louisiana Recovery Authority
C/O Fay Ayers
150 Third Street, Suite 200
Baton Rouge, LA 70801

Priority Project List
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Attachment 1

Topic	Project	Estimated Expenditure Allocation One	Estimated Expenditure Allocation Two
INFRASTRUCTURE			
Non-federal Levee		\$73,432,056	60%
	Intercoastal Canal/Palm Avenue	\$238,750	
	Suzie Canal Ext. (North)	\$5,834,620	
	Ashland North	\$352,859	\$3,023,937
	Cane Break to Ashland (to landfill)	\$1,899,369	\$5,366,469
	Shrimpers Row	\$639,707	\$10,431,081
	Upper Dularge (East)	\$11,594,462	
	Pointe Aux Chenes	\$1,475,380	
	Ward 7 - 10' elevation	\$13,745,059	
	Dr. Beatrous (Falgout Marina)	\$324,686	\$4,260,732
	Western Side of Falgout Canal Barge Structure	\$1,369,760	\$12,955,240
Roads		\$955,000	0.78%
	Dularge Bridge		\$955,000
Forced Drainage		\$15,471,000	13%
	Ashland Drainage Pump Station	\$3,820,000	
	Upper Grand Caillou Pump Station-Shrimpers Row	\$1,910,000	
	Baroid Pump Station/Bayou Lacarpe	\$4,488,500	
	Buquet Drainage Improvements	\$477,500	
	Summerfield Pump Station	\$4,775,000	
Buildings		\$7,449,000	6%
	Juvenile Facility	\$477,500	\$6,971,500

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Topic	Project	Estimated Expenditure Allocation One	Estimated Expenditure Allocation Two
POLLUTION CONTROL/ SEWERAGE		\$1,711,034	1%
	Gray facility		\$1,225,069
	Clean waterways/ Derelict Vessels	\$238,750	\$247,214
HOUSING		\$15,566,500	13%
Homeowners Program	Homebuyers' Assistance	\$1,910,000	
Community Revitalization /Blight Reduction	Homeowner Buyouts	\$1,910,000	\$1,910,000
	Repair Assistance - Owner Occupied	\$955,000	
	Repair Assistance - Renter Occupied	\$955,000	
	Owner Occupied Housing Dev	\$2,387,500	\$2,387,500
	Elevation Assistance	\$1,719,000	
	Demolition of blighted properties	\$477,500	\$955,000
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND RECOVERY		\$2,221,000	2%
	Fisheries Cold Storage-Incubator Kitchen		\$ 1,146,000
	Generator Hook up Grant	\$75,000	
	Loan and grant Programs for storm-affected businesses.	\$ 450,000	\$550,000
ADMINISTRATION AND PLANNING		\$ 5,844,900	5%
		\$ 3,225,045	\$ 2,619,237

Subtotals		\$67,725,948	\$55,003,979
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Totals:	\$122,729,927	100%
Allocation	\$67,729,927	\$55,000,000
Balance +/-	\$3,979	\$0

Current as of 5-22-09

State Competitive Allocations
Gustav/Ike Recovery Draft Application Plan
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Subject	State Initial Allocation (millions)	Estimated Total State Allocation (millions)	Terrebonne Projects	Estimated Cost (millions)	
				Low	High
Agriculture	\$30.0	\$54.8	Individual Applicants		
Coastal Restoration & Hurricane Protection	\$15.0	\$27.4	Bay Shoreline Protection Project	\$20	\$40
			Marsh Rehabilitation	\$8	\$12
			Conservation Easement Purchase per 100 acres	\$2	\$4
Fisheries	\$15.0	\$27.4	Individual Applicants		
Affordable Rental Housing	\$46.5	\$8	Multi-family Mixed Income Housing Development	\$10	\$15
Administration, Planning & Technical Assistance	\$21.9	\$40.0	Unavailable to the parish. Will fund state technical assistance and the administration of the Agriculture and Fisheries Grants through state agencies.		
Total:	\$128.4	\$234.4		\$40	\$71

Alternative Project List
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Topic	Project	Cost Allocation
Housing		
	Homeowner Buyouts	\$1,000,000
Infrastructure		
	Clean waterways/ Derelict Vessels	\$1,750,000
	Houma Navigation Canal Interim Barge Gate	\$20,000,000
Waterworks	Waterworks valve replacement for Terrebonne General Medical Center	\$980,000
Pollution Control/ Sewerage		\$5,302,205
	Gray facility	
	Evelyn Street and Patrick Place (Coteau Gravity Sewers)	\$730,000
Buildings		
	Temporary School Facility	\$750,000
Coastal Restoration		
	Bayou Terrebonne Bank Stabilization	\$7,000,000
	Strategic Marsh Rehabilitation	\$8,000,000
Economic Development and Recovery		
	Terrebonne Intermodal Facility	\$5,000,000
	Loan and Grant Programs for storm-affected businesses.	\$1,000,000

Total:

\$50,782,205

Current as of 5-22-09

Project Selection Criteria
Gustav/Ike Recovery Draft Application Plan
Community Development Block Grant Funding

Terrebonne Parish shall use CDBG funds only for one or more of the following authorized uses. The Parish will focus recovery efforts on priorities set prior to the storm through a public process or new information gathered after the storm through public comment or evidence gathered by parish, state and federal agencies.

1. Each project must be eligible for CDBG funding
2. Infrastructure projects may be eligible if
 - a. The need arises from the 2008 storm
 - b. The project is the best alternative to resolve the issue
 - c. The parish can determine the need for the facility, threat to health, safety or welfare
 - d. No other funds are available in the timeframe required
3. Each proposed project must include some proof or evidence of an ability to be measured to prove that it meets a national objective: urgent need, elimination of slum and blight, or applies to low to moderate-income residents.
4. Each project must respond to damage caused by Hurricanes Gustav or Ike; or
5. Projects and activities for the construction, restoration, expansion of critical community infrastructure, that would mitigate impacts of federal declared community disaster;
6. Projects and activities to provide for the funding of "gaps" for public infrastructure that has been damaged due to Hurricanes Gustav or Ike where and available funding is insufficient to meet community needs.
7. Administrative costs of complying with CDBG guidelines.
8. Implementation of projects already a components of state or federally-approved recovery plan such as the Long Term Recovery Plan.
9. Implementation of projects selected for the Hazard Mitigation Plan for which federal or local funding is unavailable in the timeframe needed to avoid future damages; and
10. Hurricane evacuation/projects and/or Emergency management infrastructure to respond to prior failures or improve future performance.
11. Projects/programs specifically identified in LRA Action Plan, dated Nov 18, 2008.
12. Projects for entities that do not have dedicated revenues to support mission of agency.

Secondary Alternative Project List
Gustav/Ike Recovery Draft Application Plan
Community Development Block Grant Funding
Attachment 2

Topic	Project	Estimated Cost
Housing	Grants to offset costs of infrastructure for developer	
	Title clearing program to assist homeowners access funding and aid	
Infrastructure	Intelligent Traffic Control	\$3,500,000
	Radio Streaming	
	Boat Launches	\$2,000,000
	Litter Officer	
	Generator or quick connect for OEP at Lumen Christie Retreat	\$45,000
Non-federal Levee	Ashland Jail Levee	\$1,000,000
Roads	Main Port Court +	\$2,000,000
	Valhi Extension to Savanne Road	\$9,000,000
	Bayou Lacarpe, Phase "D"	
	Westside Blvd. Phase II	\$5,100,000
	Enterprise extension	\$800,000
	Valhi (Civic to Equity)	\$7,471,000
	Hollywood (311 to Valhi)	\$1,240,800
	Bayou Gardens (Alma to Coteau)	\$13,630,200
	Savanne Drainage	
	Port of Terrebonne hard surfaced road	\$ 1,500,000
	Make Hollywood Road 4 lanes from 182 to Bayou Black	
	Make St. Louis Canal Road 4 lanes	
	Make Hwy 183 4 lanes from Bayou Blue to New Orleans Boulevard	
	Elevate and 4 lane Hwy 311 to new highway from Houma.	
Waterworks	Phase 1	\$5,677,600
	Phase 2	\$4,812,800
	Phase 3	\$4,976,100
	Waterworks water main replacement	\$15,000,000
	1 mgd ground storage tank	\$2,464,000

Secondary Alternative Project List
Gustav/Ike Recovery Draft Application Plan
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Pollution Control/ Sewerage	Infiltration/Inflow Elimination	\$15,000,000
	New Southdown Plant Facilities/Wetland Assimilation	\$750,000
	South Treatment Pond Levees	\$4,810,000
	Improvements to lift stations flooded	\$6,585,000
	Lift station major renovations	\$2,900,000
	List stations Equipment Replacement	\$745,000
	Major lift station generators	\$600,000
	Dredging of holding basins	\$600,000
	Dredging of equalization basin	\$960,000
	Equalization basin excavation, lining and levee upgrade	\$3,850,000
	North Treatment Plant Renovations	\$6,280,000
	Sewerage improvements in the rural areas	
	Port of Terrebonne Sewer	\$700,000
	Bayou Towers Sewer line replacement	\$350,000
Buildings	School Repairs	\$10,000,000
	Grand Caillou School repairs not funded by FEMA	
	Hurricane Safe Haven	\$2,500,000
	Manufacturing Relocation	\$2,000,000
	Sports Complex	\$15,000,000
Coastal Restoration	Achafalaya Sediment Transfer Feasibility Study	\$ 200,000
	Conservation Easement Purchase per 100 acres	\$1,200,000
	Restore barrier Islands and Coastal Forest. Fund Salt water tree research	
Economic Recovery	LaShip - LAMPI facility - Port Tenant Sewer	\$ 1,000,000
	Houma Terrebonne Airport drainage, recabling of runway	\$ 2,000,000
	General Aviation Aircraft parking ramp	\$ 6,500,000
	Upgrade Emergency Airfield Generator	\$ 35,000
	Small Business Incubator	\$1,000,000
	Technical Assistance for Business	\$ 250,000
	Business Retention, Expansion and Recruitment	\$6,800,000
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Total:

\$174,037,500

ATTACHMENT 3

Bridge Between Priority and Alternate Projects

The following will be funded should higher ranked projects fail to be funded or permitted. This may be overridden by the Council should higher priority items unforeseen at this time require funding.

- Housing money from one priority will be transferred into other housing projects unless there is no housing need remaining.
- Money proposed for the Juvenile Detention Facility will be transferred to economic development should the project be deemed ineligible or a portion of the funding supplied elsewhere.
- Should funding from the Fisheries Cold Storage Facility not be approved, that funding will be split between the Technical Assistance and Loan Grant Programs.
- Any funds for levee projects that are deemed ineligible will be transferred to alternate coastal restoration projects.

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PLANNING & ZONING

MEMO TO: Michel H. Claudet,
Parish President

FROM: Paul A. Labat

RE: CDBG Disaster Recovery Program

Please allow this memo to confirm that the Council adopted the attached, original resolution that authorizes you to sign, submit and implement the Terrebonne Parish Gustav/Ike Recovery Plan to the State of Louisiana and to HUD for approval under the Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Program. By copy of this memo, the appropriate individuals are being given a copy of the resolution.

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions regarding this matter.

PAL

Attachment

cc: Pat Gordon (with attachment)
Jennifer Gerbasi (with attachment)
Jamie Elfert (with attachment)

OFFERED BY: Ms. A. Williams.
SECONDED BY: Mr. K. Voisin.

RESOLUTION NO. 09-237

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PARISH PRESIDENT TO SIGN AND SUBMIT THE TERREBONNE PARISH GUSTAV/IKE DISASTER RECOVERY PROGRAM TO THE STATE OF LOUISIANA AND HUD FOR APPROVAL UNDER THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT DISASTER RECOVERY PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, The Parish has been awarded approximately \$122 million of Community Development Block Grant funding as a result of the damage caused by Hurricanes Gustav and Ike; and

WHEREAS, access to the funds requires an action plan identifying the programs that the Parish will fund with the grant be submitted to the State of Louisiana, Division of Administration, Office of Community Development – Disaster Recovery Program;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Terrebonne Parish Council (Community Development and Planning Committee), on behalf of the Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government, that the Parish President be hereby authorized to sign, submit and implement the Terrebonne Parish Gustav/Ike Disaster Recovery Program.

THERE WAS RECORDED:

YEAS: T. Cavalier, J. Cehan, B. Hebert, P. Lambert, A. Tillman, C. Voisin, K. Voisin and A. Williams.

NAYS: None.

ABSTAINING: None.

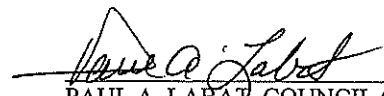
NOT VOTING: None.

ABSENT: J. Pizzolatto.

The Chairman declared the resolution adopted on this, the 11th day of May, 2009.

I, PAUL A. LABAT, Clerk of the Terrebonne Parish Council, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Community Development and Planning Committee on May 11, 2009 and subsequently ratified by the Assembled Council in Regular Session on May 13, 2009 at which meeting a quorum was present.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE THIS 14TH DAY OF MAY, 2009.



PAUL A. LABAT, COUNCIL CLERK
TERREBONNE PARISH COUNCIL

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Gustav/Ike Recovery Draft Application Public Comment Period

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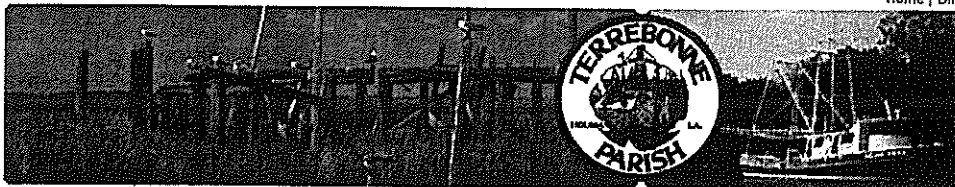
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Comments will be accepted until May 30, 2009 at:
Gustav/Ike Recovery Draft Application
Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government
8026 Main Street, Suite 402
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A copy of the document will be available online attached to this notice at www.tpcg.org in the, "News and Announcements," section on the home page. A printed version will also be available for review at 8026 Main Street, Suite 402, Houma, Louisiana 70360. For more information call Jennifer Gerbasi at (985) 873-6565.

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Tuesday, May 26, 2009

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CDBG Funding Public Comment Period

Friday, May 22, 2009

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Gustav/ike Recovery Draft Application Plan

RETRACTION

Community Development Block Grant Funding Public
Hearing

The previous Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government public notice indicating that a public hearing would be held at the meeting May 13, 2009 Council Meeting is retracted. The public hearing will not be held. The meeting will proceed with the original posted agenda. The Gustav/ike Recovery Draft Application Plan will be discussed on Monday, May 11, 2009 in the Community Development & Planning Committee.

Written public comment is encouraged. TPCG will accept comments until Friday May 15, 2009 at 8026 Main Street, Suite 402, Houma, Louisiana 70360. For more information call Jennifer Gerbasi at (985) 873-6565. A copy of the draft will be available at 8026 Main Street, Suite 402, Houma, Louisiana 70360 or on the Council Agenda.

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DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND ZONING

Gustav/Ike Recovery Draft Application Plan

Community Development Block Grant Funding Public
Hearing

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The Parish is required to develop a plan for spending these funds. The plan will be presented to the Council for approval on May 13th, 2009.

Wednesday
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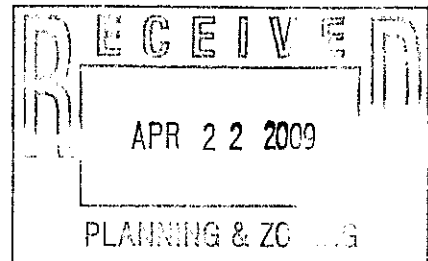
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PUBLIC NOTICE

TERREBONNE PARISH CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND ZONING

Gustav/Ike Recovery Draft Application Plan

Community Development Block Grant Funding Public Hearing for Plan Review

The Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government, Department of Planning and Zoning has received notice that Terrebonne Parish will receive at least \$67,000,000 in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding to assist in rebuilding the parish after the hurricanes and \$10,000,000 specifically for affordable rental housing in the Parish. There will be a second round of funding in the future that could be as much as \$55,000,000.

The Parish is required to develop a plan for spending these funds. Several public meetings have been held to receive ideas from the public at large to help determine the best use of these funds. The Parish has developed a Draft Application Plan that will be presented at a public meeting to be held:

Monday
April 27, 2009
5:30-7:00
Council Chambers
Government Towers
8026 Main Street

Those who want a copy of the state framework that outlines the types of projects that are eligible for funding or the Gustav/Ike Recovery Draft Application Plan can come to the planning office or download the plan from the "News and Announcements" section of the website at www.tpcg.org.

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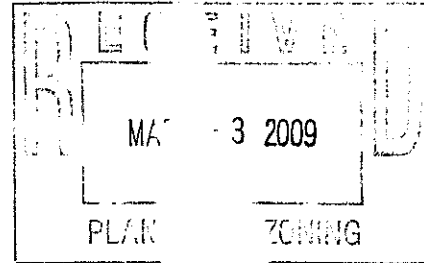
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PUBLIC NOTICE

TERREBONNE PARISH CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND ZONING

Request for Project Ideas for Gustav/Ike Recovery

Second Project Scoping Meeting Community Development Block Grant Funding

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February 26, 2009

5:30-7:00

**Municipal Auditorium
880 Verret Street
Houma, LA 70360**

The proposed State Action Plan lists housing, economic development and infrastructure as general categories. These will be explained in greater detail at the meeting. A summary of the ideas shared at the first meeting will be available. Those who want a copy of the state framework that outlines the types of projects that are eligible for funding can come to the planning office, or download the plan from the "News and Announcements" section of the website at www.tpcg.org. The office is located at 8026 Main Street, Suite 402, Houma, Louisiana 70360. If you have further questions, call Jennifer Gerbasi at (985) 873-6565

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February 12, 2009

5:30-7:00

Council Chambers

Government Towers

8026 Main Street

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 TERREBONNE PARISH CONSOLIDATED
 GOVERNMENT
 DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND ZONING
 Requesting Letters of Interest in selling or
 elevating homes
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 hundreds of requests for elevating homes in the wake
 of Hurricane's Ike and Gustav. The Parish is setting
 priorities for helping residents rebuild, to prepare for
 future hurricanes, and to plan for future growth.
 In order to assess the demand for buyout and elevation
 programs, we would like interested parties to send us
 a letter of intent. Let us know if you are looking to sell
 or elevate.
 Note: If you have already come in for a permit and let
 the clerk know that you want to elevate, it is likely that
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you are *already counted*. The database has several
 categories that the clerks choose to identify people
 interested in elevating. All of those people will receive
 information about elevation programs when
 applications for funding are available by the federal
 government. If you already have a building permit and
 told the clerk you wanted to elevate, you **DO NOT** have
 to also fill out this letter of interest.
 If we *haven't heard from you*, please fill out a letter of
 interest. These are available online at www.tpcg.org in
 the "News and Announcements" section on the home
 page or at the Government Towers, 8026 Main street,
 Suite 402, Houma, Louisiana 70360. If it is difficult for
 you to access a paper form or print one from the
 computer, just write a note yourself saying "I want
 the parish to purchase my home at X address" or "I want
 help from the parish to elevate my home at X address"
 and send it in to the address above, attention: Jennifer
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Public Comment
April 27, 2009

First Name	Surname	Organization	Street #	Street	City	Zip Code	Comments
Nikki		Courier	3030	Barrow Street	Houma	70360	
Mickey	Fonseca		253	M Street	Houma	70360	
Darrel	Waire	TPCG Housing and Human Services		Barrow Street	Houma	70360	
Kelli	Cunningham	TPCG Housing and Human Services		Barrow Street	Houma	70360	
Michael	Ferdinand	Terrebonne Economic Development Agency		Corporate Drive	Houma	70364	Workforce housing, the Cold Storage Facility and the Multi-modal facility in the northern Parish remain the focus of TEDA. They will also push for the Loan and Grant program as it is

Also attending:

Stacy Bonnafons, LRA
 Michel Claudet Parish President
 Patrick Gordon Parish Manager
 Jennifer Gerbasi Senior Planner,
 Recovery

* Original sign-in sheet AWOL. Michael Ferdinand was the only speaker other than TPCG staff and administration.

2/26/09 2nd Public Project Scoping Meeting

First Name	Surname	Organization	Street #	Street	City	Zip Code	Comments
Mike	Voisin	Motivated Seafood		P.O. Box 3916	Houma	70361-3916	
Gerald	Schoest		9722	East Park	Houma	70363	More public input regarding the expenditure of funds. Said that the plan was due in a week's time. Needs more information on the process and timing.
Robert	Zullo	Courier	3030	Barrow Street	Houma	70360	
Mickey	Fonseca		253	M Street	Houma	70360	
Alvin	Tillman	Councilman	3635	Friendswood Drive	Houma		
Reggie	Bourg		4632-A	Country Dr.	Bourg	70304	
Leslie	Suazo	TPCG Coastal Restoration					
Patrick	Adams		475	Aragon Road	Montegut	70377	Build a lock structure with stepped sand at the beach and ships oceanside down the channel to block the wind and surge to protect Montegut. Will submit written plan with sketches.
Barbara	Larpenter		301	Horseshoe Road	Shriever	70395	Repair roads down the bayous, provide basic needs for locals (foods, necessary items), elevate homes of the elderly/sickly, Grand caillou school. Not focus on levees.
Anthony	Larpenter		301	Horseshoe Road	Shriever	70395	
Kevin	Voisin	Councilman					Prioritized list of projects will be presented to the public before any money will be spent. HNC should be plugged with a barge or ini some way blocked to save Houma from that surge. #1 priority.

Also attending:

Lynn Bankston LRA
Michel Claudet Parish President
Jennifer Gerbasi Senior Planner,
Recovery

Director of the
Office of Emergency
Preparedness
Michael Ferdinand TEDA
Administration
Ashley Yessick Assistant

Sign-in Sheet

If you are not speaking, please
sign in here.

name

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Mike Voisin

P.O. Box 3916, Houma, La. 70361-3916

Gerald Schoult

9722 East Park Houma La 70363

Robert Zullo

The Courier 3030 Barrow St.

M. W. Fonseca

253 Magna Street Houma, La. 70360

Alvin Tillman

3635 Friendswood Dr, Houma, La.

Riggs Bang

4632 A Countr Dr. Bang LA 70360

Leone Juarez

TPCG, Coastal Restoration

Patricia Alexander

475 ARAQON RD

Queen Lupter

301 Henshoe Ct, Schreener, La. 70392

Anthony Lupter

301 Henshoe Ct, Schreener, La. 70392

Barbara Carpenter

- Repair roads down the Bayous
- provide Basic needs for locals
i.e. food, necessary items
- Help elevate homes of elderly / sickly
- Help the residents Down the Bayou
- Elevate Grand ~~Bayou~~^{Canal} Elementary / Keep it open

Gerald Bonovest

- Would like more public input regarding money
- No ideas presented, just questions re \$

Kevin Voisin

- Prioritized list of projects will be presented before money will be spent
- HNC - repair it, plug w/ a barge in case of an emergency
- HNC is TP's greatest problem and it must be fixed

**TERREBONNE PARISH
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT**

SECOND PROJECT SCOPING MEETING



Please complete this card in its entirety and turn it in to the facilitator prior to the beginning of the meeting or as soon as possible.

Name: Reggie P. Bang

Address: 4632A Country Dr.
Baung, LA. 70343

**TERREBONNE PARISH
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT**

SECOND PROJECT SCOPING MEETING



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Name: Patricia P. Davis

Address: _____

**TERREBONNE PARISH
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT**

SECOND PROJECT SCOPING MEETING



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Name: Kevin M. Vasin

Address: Councilman District 6

**TERREBONNE PARISH
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT**

SECOND PROJECT SCOPING MEETING



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Name: Barbara D. Harpenter

Address: 301 Lakeshore Rd.
Schriever, La. 70395

**TERREBONNE PARISH
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT**

SECOND PROJECT SCOPING MEETING



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Name: Gerald Schouest
Address: 9722 East Park Ave.
Houma, La.

Community Development Block Grant Funding Project Scoping Meeting Two

Public Comment Summary from February 12, 2009



Infrastructure	Housing	Economic Development	Buildings
Create a Levee from Mississippi to Texas with a toll free road on top of it. Keep 18 Wheelers off of it.	Housing is a big issue. We need more affordable homes and rental units.	Help small local businesses survive and thrive.	Refurbish Grand Caillou Elementary
Upgrade or repair pumpstations	Downpayment matching on homes.	Support the Seafood Community	Restore/rebuild Courthouse / Justice Complex
Plug the HNC with dirt until a floodgate is in place. Go through Morgan City and the Atchafalaya to get to the Gulf.	Emergency housing	Loan and grant Programs for storm-affected businesses.	Allot money to the school system
Pick one traffic project. No more studies to waste money.	Public Housing	Generator program for critical business	
Restore Barrier Islands and Coastal Forest. Fund Salt Water tree research.	Home ownership assistance	Technical Assistance for Business	
Barge or flood gate in the Houma Navigation Canal	Clear or refurbish blighted properties.	Intermodal facility in west Terrebonne	
Place barges in Houma Navigational Canal and Bayou Grand Caillou.	Title clearing program/ paid or pro bono legal support.	Infrastructure for Cold Storage Unit	
Levees in Southern Portion of Parish need help. Levees, Levees, Levees.	Evacuation funding for food, transportation, and housing		
Encourage the expenditure of funds to back Morganza to the Gulf Levee System. Include all of Grand Caillou and Dulac in plans.	Need affordable housing, and assistance program to alleviate homeless problem.		
Block oil pipeline crossing Levee behind Grand Caillou.	Housing for the elderly.		
Infrastructure improvements for drinking water system parish-wide	Home Elevation		
Coastal Restoration and Protection.			
Drainage ditch maintenance		<p>For more information call Jennifer Gerbasi at 985-873-6565.</p> <p>To submit comments by mail send to: 8026 Mail Street, Suite 402 Houma, Louisiana 70360</p>	
A flood gate in Dulac.			
J1-J2 levees need repair			
Levee at Senator Circle			
Sewerage Improvements - Rural			

**HURRICANES GUSTAV AND IKE
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Application
PROPOSAL FORM**

Rev 02.

Speaker Cards for the February 12, 2009 meeting available upon request.

First Name	Surname	Organization	Street #	Street	City	Zip Code	Comments
Arthur	Breaux		101	Tabot Dr.	Houma		Create a Levee from Mississippi to Texas with a toll free road on top of it. Keep 18 Wheelers off or it, and have tax payers pay for this road.
Mike	Voisin	Motivated Seafoods	116	E. Ellendale Estate Dr.			Seafood Community needs help. Housing is a big issue. We need more affordable homes and rental units.
Senator Reggie	Dupre	State Senate					Traffic needs, pick one project and make it happen. No more studies to waste our money. Would like to see down payment matching on homes.
Billy	Hebert	Councilman	302	Richard Dr	Houma		Barge Houma Navigation Canal, and Restore/rebuild Courthouse. Submitted Letter dated 2/10/09
Clayton	Voisin	Councilman					Block HNC in Bayou Grand Caillou, put barges here to serve as storm protection. Repair/replace judicial criminal justice Bldgs. Refurbish Grand Caillou Elementary. Allot money to alleviate housing burden.
Joey	Cehan	Councilman					HNC needs to be protected. Upgrade repair pumpstations, Judicial Bldg, and Grand Caillou School need help.
Pete	Lambert	Councilman	861	Hwy 55			Levees in Southern Portion of Parish need help. Levees, Levees, Levees.
Kirby	Verret		183	Coast Guard Rd	Dulac		Encourage the expenditure of funds to back Morganza to the Levee System. Include all of Grand Caillou and Dulac in plans. Spend funds to block oil pipeline crossing Levee behind Grand Caillou.

Harris	Henry	School Board	4176	Southdown Mandalay	Houma		TP schools are vital and have received significant damage. Allot money to the school system. Letter from Patrick Martin to follow.
Margie	Scott		127	Stovall St	Houma	70364	Homeless in Houma need help. Need affordable housing, and assistance program to alleviate homeless problem.
Jim	Boudreaux		106	Merian St.	Schriever	70395	Presented a Pipeline demonstration which he proposed could act as levees. Close gaps in levees.
Alvin	Bourg		402	Jerry Ann St	Chauvin	70344	Put every Penny into LEVEES.
Wayne	Thibodeaux	HTHA		PO Box 390	Gray		Put money into Public Housing, Levees, and Sewage System.
Bonita	Boudoin	Bisco	119	Capri Ct	Houma	70364	Need more low-income/affordable housing. Home ownership assistance, blighted properties.
Reggie	Bourg		4632-A	Country Dr.	Bourg	70304	Improve drainage, home elevation assistance programs, put a flood gate in Dulac.
Herdis	Neal		105	T-Bob Street	Montegut		Courthouse needs replacing/repairing. Elevate homes, Affordable housing, drainage ditches. Grand Caillou School needs help, and J1-J2 levees need help.
Patricia	Whitney	Bisco	1206	Cardinal Dr.	Thibodeaux	70301	Coastal Protection. Need affordable housing programs, Title clearing program to help people who can't afford attorneys. Elevation assistance, evacuation funding, and emergency housing.
Mike	Ferdinand	TEDA	496	Corporate Dr.	Houma	70360	Help small local businesses survive and thrive. Housing is a huge problem which must be solved. Will submit letter from TEDA Board.

Sybil	Guidry	Tree Board		118	Mike St			Restore Barrier islands and Coastal Forest. Fund Salt Water tree research.
Dana	Rutledge			139	Geraldine Rd	Gibson		Save Gibson, its sinking. Also make help available to residents. She needs assistance but does not know how to get it.
Samantha	Shaffstall	HNC		206	Wayside Dr.	Houma		Elevate Homes, Grand Caillou School needs to be saved, don't take away education from Grand Caillou Community.

Also attending Lynn Bankston LRA
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